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"EXPRESS MAIL" mailing label number EL560082694US, Date of Deposit July 25, 2000. I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service Express Mail Post Office to Addressee Service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date shown above and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks, Box Patent Application, Washington, DC 20231.

This is a Request for filing a ☒ Continuation, ☐ Divisional application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) of prior application Serial No. 09/229,490, filed on January 11, 1999, entitled DUAL PORT INTERACTIVE MEDIA SYSTEM, by the following inventors:

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The above identified prior application has not yet issued, nor has abandonment of proceedings occurred.

1. ☐ Enter the amendment previously filed on _____ under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 but unentered, in the prior application.
2. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. ☒ Please cancel claims 1-13 before calculating the filing fee.

The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 1, 2 and 3 above.

(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
TOTAL CLAIMS	36 - 20 =	16	x \$9.00 =	\$144.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3 - 3 =	----	x \$39.00 =	\$0.00
BASIC FEE				+ \$345.00
TOTAL				= \$489.00

4. ☒ A check in the amount of \$489.00 is enclosed in payment of the filing fees. Please charge any additional fees or deficiencies in fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-0780/PHLY-25,394 of HOWISON, CHAUZA, HANDLEY & ARNOTT, L.L.P.

5. ☒ X

Amend the specification by inserting before the first sentence: This application is a
☒ Continuation, ☐ Division of Application Serial No. 09/229,490, filed January
11, 1999.

6. Priority of Application Serial No. _____, filed on _____ in _____
_____ is claimed under U.S.C. 119.

7. ☒ X The prior application is assigned of record to DigitalConvergence.com Inc.

8. ☒ X Applicant continues to assert small entity status as evidenced by the Verified
Statement Claiming Small Entity Status which was filed in the prior application, a
copy of which is attached hereto.

9. ☒ X Please transfer the drawings from the prior application to the new application.

10. ☒ X A true copy of what is shown in my records to be the above identified prior
application as filed, including the oath or declaration as originally filed, is enclosed.
(37 C.F.R. 1.60 (b) (2)) The copy of the prior application as filed and attached
hereto consists of the following:

16 page(s) of specification
4 page(s) of claims
1 page(s) of abstract
1 page(s) of drawing

11. _____ Also enclosed is: _____

_____ Also enclosed: Request for _____ month extension of time response, with fee of _____

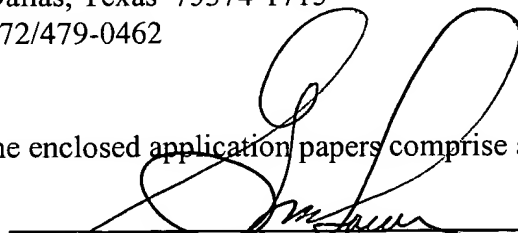
12. The power of attorney in the prior application is to: Gregory M. Howison.

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The undersigned states that the enclosed application papers comprise a true copy of the prior application
as filed.

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